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The Lilburn Smokehouse  
Private  
Ellicott City

C. 1857

The Lilburn Smokehouse stands southwest of the main building, on the south side of a lovely swimming pool, which once was part of an estate of some 2,600 acres. It is a square, ashlar granite block, tent roofed structure with a central, rectangular entrance punctuating its north wall. It is of particular interest for it is three stories high, two floors of which are beneath ground level. This building is in a totally dilapidated state, with the first, second and third floors rotted away. The smokehouse is a part of the original building complex, which Richard Henry Hazelhurst constructed here.

# MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

HO-354  
District 2  
Ellicott City

Magi # 140355404

## INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

### 1 NAME

HISTORIC

Lilburn Smokehouse

AND/OR COMMON

### 2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

3899 College Avenue

CITY, TOWN

Ellicott City, Md. 21043

VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

6th

STATE

COUNTY

Howard

### 3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

☒ DISTRICT

☐ BUILDING(S)

☐ STRUCTURE

☐ SITE

☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC

☒ PRIVATE

☐ BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

☐ IN PROCESS

☐ BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☐ OCCUPIED

☒ UNOCCUPIED

☐ WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

☒ YES. RESTRICTED

☐ YES. UNRESTRICTED

☐ NO

PRESENT USE

☐ AGRICULTURE

☐ COMMERCIAL

☐ EDUCATIONAL

☐ ENTERTAINMENT

☐ GOVERNMENT

☐ INDUSTRIAL

☐ MILITARY

☐ MUSEUM

☐ PARK

☐ PRIVATE RESIDENCE

☐ RELIGIOUS

☐ SCIENTIFIC

☐ TRANSPORTATION

☒ OTHER Vacant

### 4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

E. Z. Marchese-W. K. King-J/T

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

3899 College Ave.

CITY, TOWN

Ellicott City, Md. 21043

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

### 5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC

Hall of Records

Tax Map 25 p.48

Liber #:700

Folio #:718

STREET & NUMBER

Howard County Court House

CITY, TOWN

Ellicott City

STATE

Maryland

### 6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

Howard County Historic Sites Inventory

DATE

1978-1979

☐ FEDERAL ☒ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR  
SURVEY RECORDS

Maryland Historical Trust

CITY, TOWN

21 State Circle, Annapolis

STATE

Maryland

**7 DESCRIPTION**

**CONDITION**

☐ EXCELLENT  
☐ GOOD  
☐ FAIR

☒ DETERIORATED  
☐ RUINS  
☐ UNEXPOSED

**CHECK ONE**

☒ UNALTERED  
☐ ALTERED

**CHECK ONE**

☒ ORIGINAL SITE  
☐ MOVED      DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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**DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE**

The Lilburn Smokehouse stands southeast of the main building, on the east side of a lovely swimming pool, which once was part of an estate of over twelve acres. It is a square, ashlar granite block, tent roofed structure with a central, rectangular entrance punctuating its west wall. It is of particular interest for it is three stories high, two floors of which are beneath ground level. This building is in a totally dilapidated state, with the first, second and third floors rotted away.

## 8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
<input type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES C. 1857

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

### STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Lilburn Smokehouse is one of Howard County's most interesting farm buildings, for it is one of the few, and the only one presently found in Howard County, composed of three floors.<sup>1</sup> This distinction is enhanced by the use of stone as a building material<sup>2</sup>. Additionally, the smoke house is a part of the original building complex, which Richard Henry Hazelhurst, a prosperous Baltimore manufacturer, constructed here.<sup>3</sup>

### HISTORY AND SUPPORT

1. Several smokehouses throughout Howard County have been identified individually on the Howard County Historic Sites Inventory, but none to date have three floors, as we find here. Unfortunately, the floor boards and supporting joists for these floors have rotted away and a large gapping hole is found, with the building in a near state of collapse. It is hoped that measures can be taken to insure the preservation of the building.

2. Its stone construction also is of significance, for many of the old smokehouses were of log or frame construction. This substantial building material, resting on a stone foundation, insures its potential for continuance.

3. The smokehouse was an ancillary building to the dominating, Gothic-Romanesque Revival Style Manison, which still stands south-east of the smokehouse, which was constructed by Richard Henry Hazelhurst, a Baltimore manufacturer, in the 1850s. Its position so close to the mansion, on the east side of the pool, would make it suitable to serve as a small bath house or dressing room, when reconstructed and rehabilitated.

## 9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Howard County Land Records

Holland, Celia. Milltown - U.S.A.

Interview with Mrs. Eugenia King, at her residence on June 23, 1981

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

## 10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 8.089 Acres

Please see Attachment 1, Tax Map 25

### VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

Please see Howard County Land Records, Liber 700 Folio 718

### LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE Maryland

COUNTY Howard

STATE

COUNTY

## 11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Cleora Barnes Thompson, A.I.C.P., Projects Archivist

ORGANIZATION

DATE

Office of Planning & Zoning-Comprehensive Planning Section

STREET & NUMBER

TELEPHONE

3430 Court House Drive

CITY OR TOWN

STATE

Ellicott City

Maryland

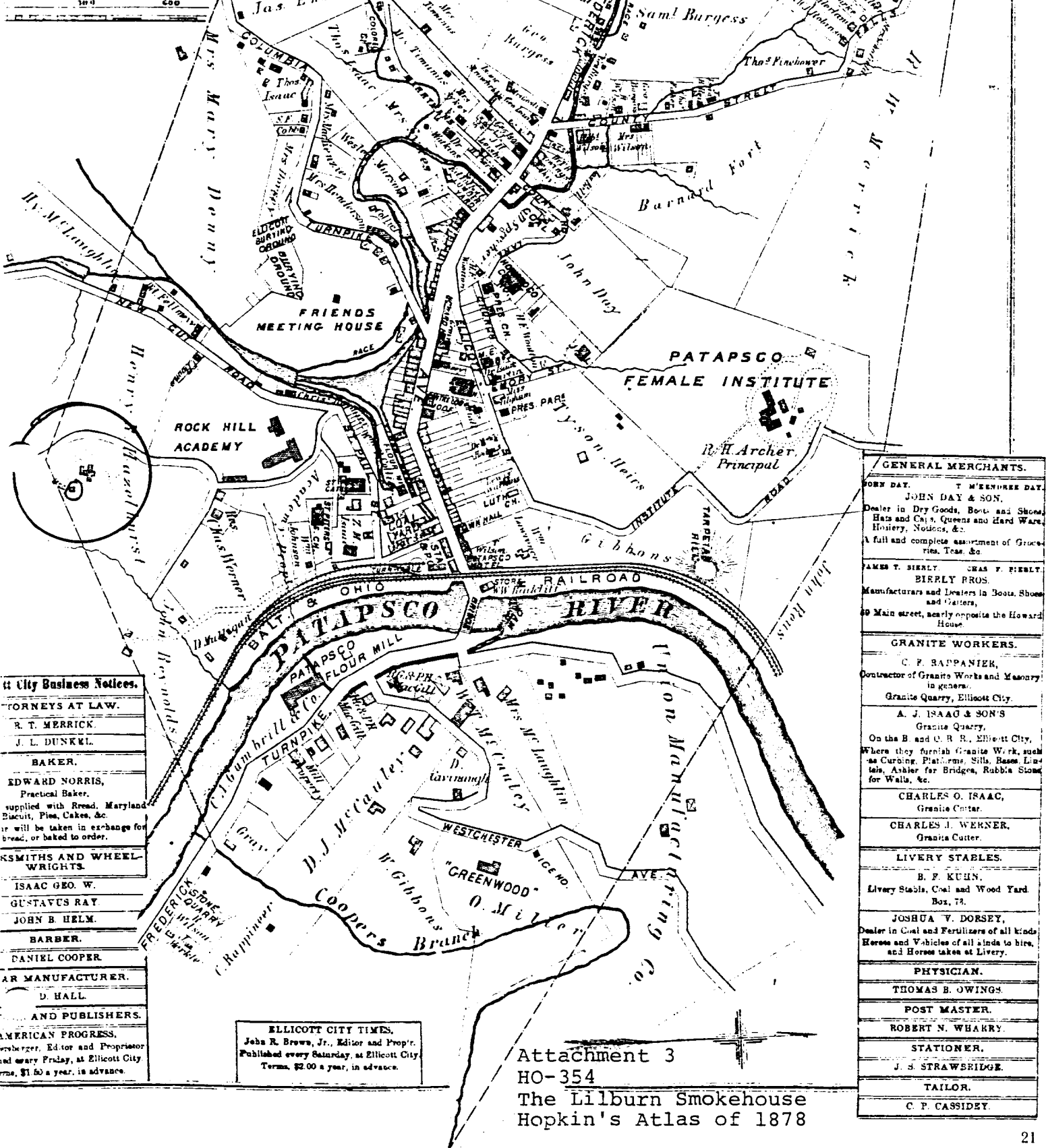
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The Survey and Inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust  
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle  
Annapolis, Maryland 21401  
(301) 269-2348

# PLAT OF ELICOTT CITY. HOWARD & BALTIMORE COUNTIES.

Scale 300 Feet per inch.



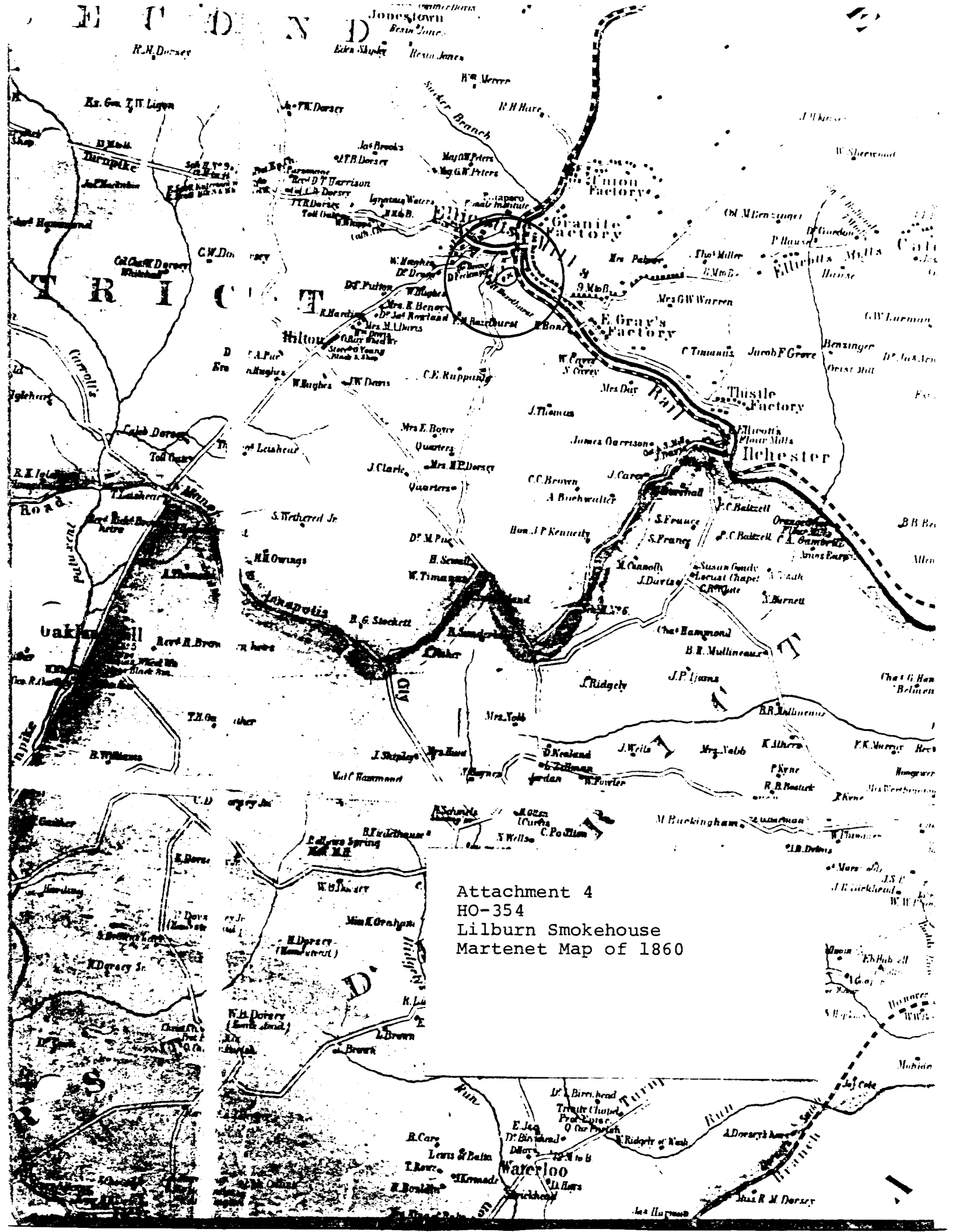
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 Brick " "  
 Frame " "  
 Brick or Stone Stable.  
 Frame Stable or shed

**City Business Notices.**  
**TORNEYS AT LAW.**  
 R. T. MERRICK  
 J. L. DUNKEL  
**BAKER.**  
 EDWARD NORRIS,  
 Practical Baker,  
 supplied with Bread, Maryland  
 Biscuit, Pies, Cakes, &c.  
 or will be taken in exchange for  
 bread, or baked to order.  
**SMITHS AND WHEEL-  
 WRIGHTS.**  
 ISAAC GEO. W.  
 GUSTAVUS RAY  
 JOHN B. HELM.  
**BARBER.**  
 DANIEL COOPER  
**ARM MANUFACTURER.**  
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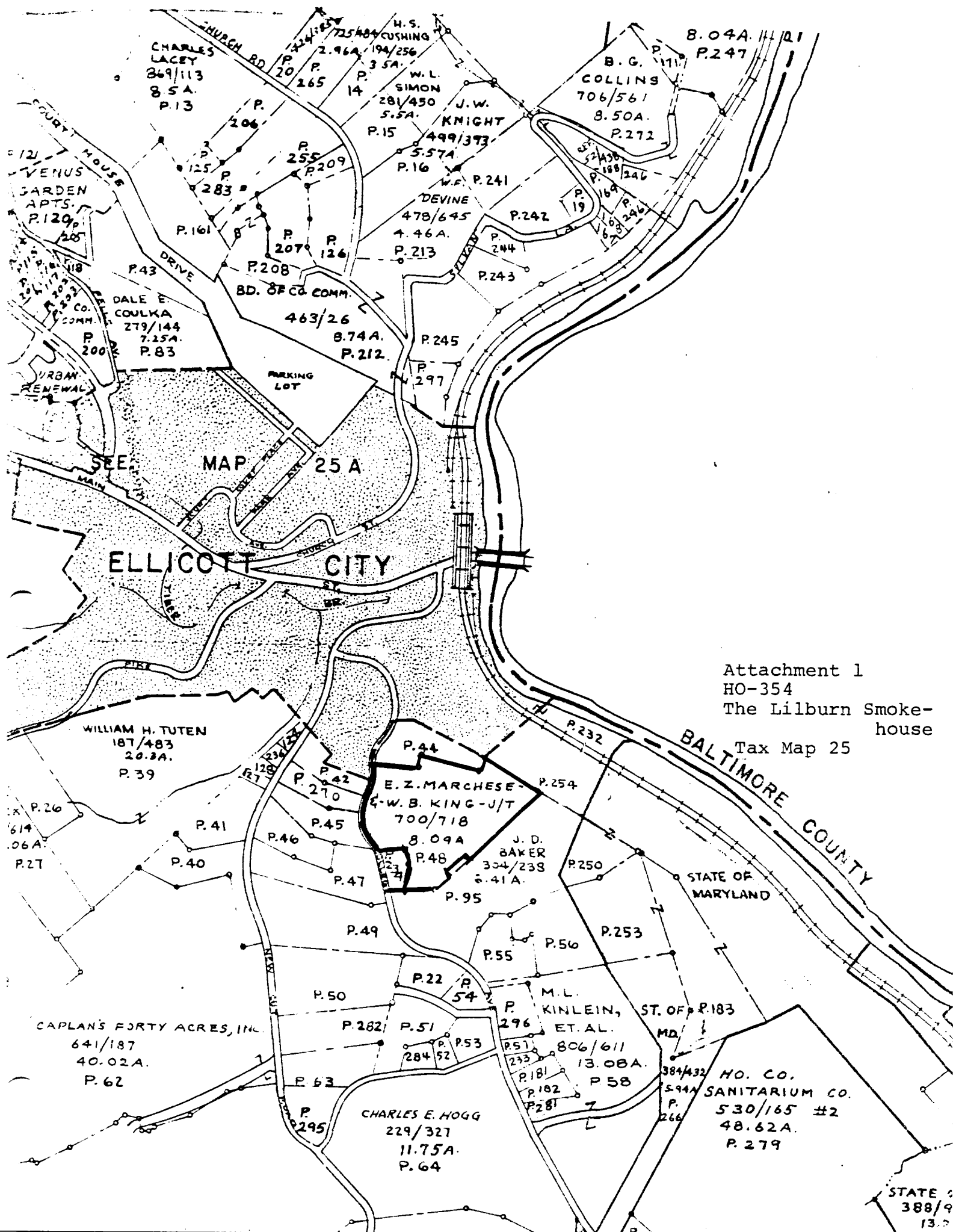
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**JOHN DAY.** T. M'KENNEDY DAY.  
**JOHN DAY & SON.**  
 Dealer in Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes,  
 Hats and Caps, Queens and Hard Ware,  
 Hosiery, Notions, &c.  
 A full and complete assortment of Groce-  
 ries, Teas, &c.  
**JAMES T. SIERLY.** CHAS. F. SIERLY.  
**SIERLY BROS.**  
 Manufacturers and Dealers in Boots, Shoes  
 and Hatters,  
 69 Main street, nearly opposite the Howard  
 House.  
**GRANITE WORKERS.**  
 C. F. RAPPANIER,  
 Contractor of Granite Works and Masonry  
 in general.  
 Granite Quarry, Elicott City.  
**A. J. ISAAC & SONS**  
 Granite Quarry,  
 On the B. and O. R. R., Elicott City,  
 Where they furnish Granite Work, such  
 as Curbing, Platforms, Sills, Base Lin-  
 teis, Ashier for Bridges, Rubble Stone  
 for Walls, &c.  
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 Granite Cutter.  
**CHARLES J. WERNER,**  
 Granite Cutter.  
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**B. F. KUHN,**  
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 and Horses taken at Livery.  
**PHYSICIAN.**  
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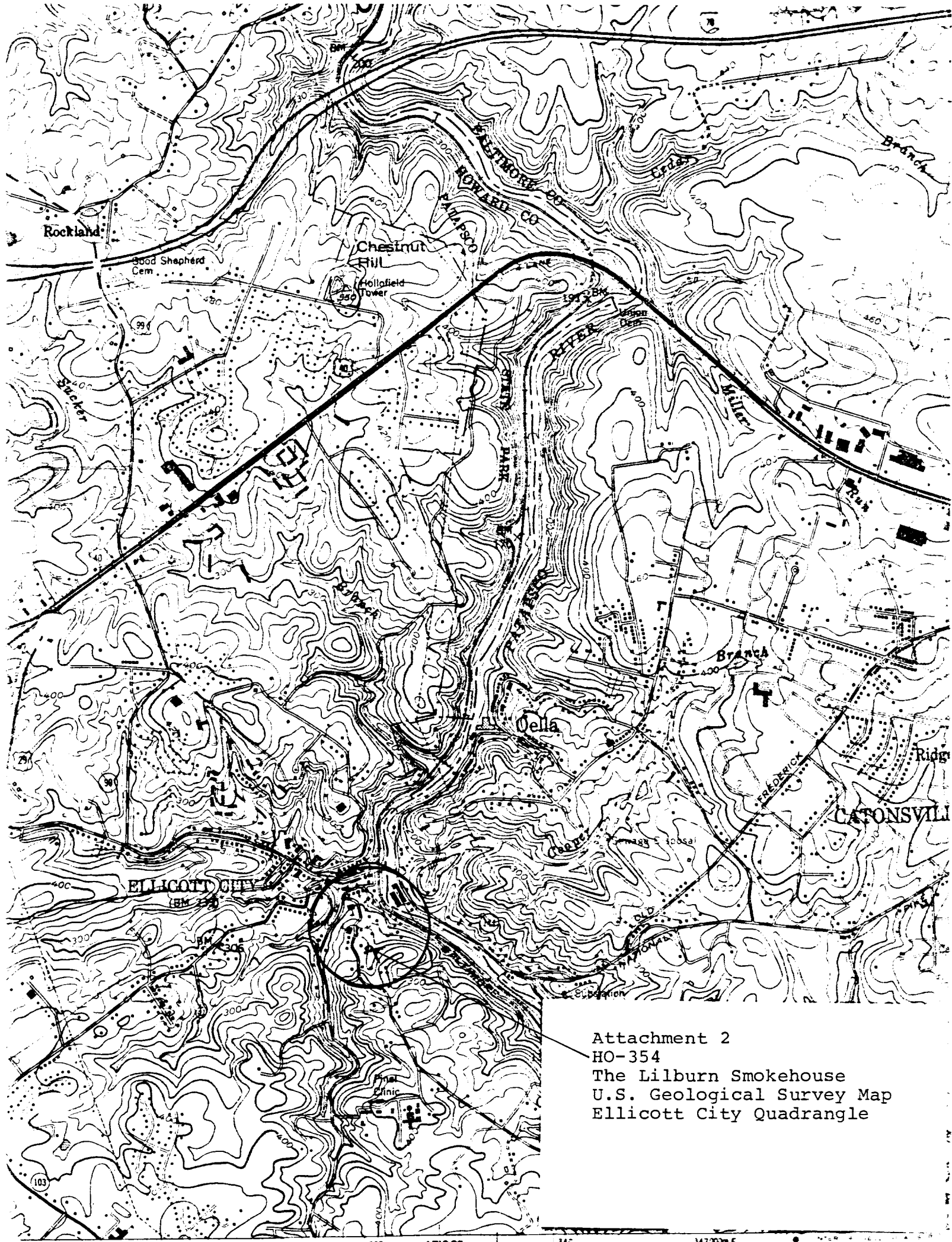
Attachment 3  
 HO-354  
 The Lilburn Smokehouse  
 Hopkin's Atlas of 1878



Attachment 4  
HO-354  
Lilburn Smokehouse  
Martenet Map of 1860









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Ellicott City

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Balderson -  
Hazelhurst Smokehouse

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Name: HO-354

Lilburn Smokehouse

Location: 3899 College Ave.

Ellicott City, Md. 21043

Photographer: Cleora B. Thompson, A.I.C.P.

Date of Photograph: June, 1981

Negatives in possession of the Maryland Historical Trust

View: North Elevation

Photographer looking: South

Photograph number: 1 of 1